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**U.S. District Court
California Northern District (San Francisco)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 3:10-cv-05526-SI**

Electronic Frontier Foundation v. Department of Homeland Security

Assigned to: Hon. Susan Illston

Lead case: [3:09-cv-05640-SI](#)

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Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 12/03/2010

Date Terminated: 05/18/2011

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
12/03/2010	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT for Injunctive Relief against Department of Homeland Security (Filing fee \$ 350.00, receipt number 34611053579.). Filed by Electronic Frontier Foundation. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet) (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/3/2010) (Entered: 12/06/2010)
12/03/2010	<u>2</u>	Certificate of Interested Entities by Electronic Frontier Foundation (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/3/2010) (Entered: 12/06/2010)
12/03/2010	<u>4</u>	ADR SCHEDULING ORDER: Case Management Statement due by 3/11/2011. Case Management Conference set for 3/18/2011 01:30 PM in Courtroom A, 15th Floor, San Francisco. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/3/2010) (Entered: 12/06/2010)
12/03/2010		CASE DESIGNATED for Electronic Filing. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/3/2010) (Entered: 12/06/2010)
12/06/2010	<u>3</u>	Summons Issued as to Department of Homeland Security. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/6/2010) (Entered: 12/06/2010)
12/07/2010	<u>5</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE by Electronic Frontier Foundation re <u>3</u> Summons Issued, <u>4</u> ADR Scheduling Order, <u>2</u> Certificate of Interested Entities, <u>1</u> Complaint (Lynch, Jennifer) (Filed on 12/7/2010) (Entered: 12/07/2010)

12/16/2010	6	MOTION for Admission of Attorney David L. Sobel to appear in Pro Hac Vice (Filing fee \$ 275.00, receipt number 34611054042) filed by Electronic Frontier Foundation. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order) (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/16/2010) (Entered: 12/16/2010)
12/20/2010	7	ORDER, by Judge Joseph C. Spero, signed 12/17/10,granting 6 Motion for Pro Hac Vice for David L. Sobel. (klh, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/20/2010) (Entered: 12/20/2010)
12/20/2010	8	CLERKS NOTICE to Plaintiff re: Consent or Declination to Proceed before a U.S. Magistrate Judge. Form due by 1/3/11. (klh, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/20/2010) (Entered: 12/20/2010)
12/20/2010	9	CONSENT to Proceed Before a US Magistrate Judge by Electronic Frontier Foundation.. (Lynch, Jennifer) (Filed on 12/20/2010) (Entered: 12/20/2010)
12/22/2010	10	MOTION to Consolidate Cases filed by Electronic Frontier Foundation. Motion Hearing set for 1/28/2011 09:00 AM in Courtroom 10, 19th Floor, San Francisco before Hon. Susan Illston. (Attachments: # 1 Affidavit Schultz Declaration, # 2 Proposed Order, # 3 Exhibit Exhibit A to Schultz Declaration)(Lynch, Jennifer) (Filed on 12/22/2010) (Entered: 12/22/2010)
01/06/2011	11	NOTICE of Appearance by Nicholas Patrick Cartier (Cartier, Nicholas) (Filed on 1/6/2011) (Entered: 01/06/2011)
01/06/2011	12	ANSWER to Complaint byDepartment of Homeland Security. (Cartier, Nicholas) (Filed on 1/6/2011) (Entered: 01/06/2011)
01/06/2011	13	NOTICE by Department of Homeland Security of <i>Declination of Magistrate Judge</i> (Cartier, Nicholas) (Filed on 1/6/2011) (Entered: 01/06/2011)
01/07/2011	14	Memorandum in Opposition re 10 MOTION to Consolidate Cases filed byDepartment of Homeland Security. (Cartier, Nicholas) (Filed on 1/7/2011) (Entered: 01/07/2011)
01/14/2011	15	Reply to Opposition re 10 MOTION to Consolidate Cases filed byElectronic Frontier Foundation. (Attachments: # 1 Affidavit of Jason Schultz, # 2 Exhibit A, # 3 Exhibit B, # 4 Exhibit C, # 5 Exhibit D, # 6 Exhibit E)(Lynch, Jennifer) (Filed on 1/14/2011) (Entered: 01/14/2011)
01/14/2011	16	ORDER RELATING CASE to 09-5640 Signed by Judge Illston (tf, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/14/2011) Modified on 1/18/2011 (ys, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 01/14/2011)

01/14/2011		***Deadlines terminated. CMC Statement due, and CMC re 4 ADR Scheduling Order. (ys, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/14/2011) (Entered: 01/18/2011)
01/18/2011		Case Reassigned to Judge Hon. Susan Illston. Magistrate Judge Joseph C. Spero no longer assigned to the case. (mab, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/18/2011) (Entered: 01/18/2011)
01/19/2011	1 7	STIPULATION <i>To Permit Defense Counsel To Appear Telephonically At Hearing</i> by Department of Homeland Security. (Cartier, Nicholas) (Filed on 1/19/2011) (Entered: 01/19/2011)
01/20/2011	1 8	ORDER allowing phone appearance (counsel shall provide the Court with the number to be conferenced) (tf, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/20/2011) (Entered: 01/20/2011)
01/24/2011	1 9	ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE CASES AND DIRECTING COUNSEL TO SUBMIT NEW BRIEFING SCHEDULE (SI, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/24/2011) (Entered: 01/24/2011)
01/28/2011	2 0	ORDER Initial Case Management Conference set for 2/25/2011 02:30 PM. (tf, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/28/2011) (Entered: 01/28/2011)

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